

**Department of Toxic Substances Control
Project Status Update
for
Wyle Laboratories Norco Facility Site
October 31, 2005**

SITE INVESTIGATION/CLEANUP

- Indoor air sampling at two homes on El Paso Road has been postponed until the week of November 6, 2005, because one homeowner will not be available until that time. Previous air sampling was done by a private contractor hired by the residents at these two homes and one other on this street. The resident at the third home still has not given access to Wyle's contractor to conduct this follow-up sampling. The previous, private sampling showed trace levels of TCE (trichloroethene), DCE (dichloroethene), and vinyl chloride in the air inside some of the three homes. We are requiring Wyle to conduct this indoor air sampling as part of the boundary reassessment of the Wyle site. This reassessment includes sampling new areas around the boundary of the Wyle property, as well as re-sampling some of the same areas tested two years ago. Due to the heavy rains last year, the groundwater has risen. The new round of sampling of soil gas and groundwater will help us look for contamination that we couldn't detect the first time due to the dry conditions.
- Workers finished installing soil vapor extraction wells on Golden West Lane last week. The wells are part of a cleanup system we approved last month after a public review and comment period. The cleanup system will use a vacuum unit to pull chemical vapors from the soil near the southern end (the cul-de-sac) of Golden West Lane. These vapors come from contaminated groundwater that has moved offsite from Wyle. The chemical vapors will be put through carbon filters, and the cleaned air will be discharged into the open. The vacuum unit will be installed on the Wyle property within the next few weeks.

Ongoing Remedial Investigation activities:

Last week

Onsite:

- Sampled remaining on-site temporary soil vapor probes.
- Continued Fourth Quarter 2005 groundwater sampling.

Offsite:

- Conducted indoor air sampling at 1611 and 1591 El Paso Drive.
- Sampled off-site temporary and permanent soil vapor probes.
- Finished installing groundwater monitoring well MW-22.

Sampling planned for this week

Onsite:

- No on-site sampling planned this week.

Offsite:

- Conduct quarterly indoor air sampling at 2281 Golden West Lane.

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

- No change from last week's update.